FISCAL NOTE

HB 499 - SB 557

February 24, 2001

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires wireless telecommunications providers to notify consumers 30 days prior to the expiration of wireless telecommunications contracts. Failure by the provider to notify the consumer of the expiration results in the customer receiving free service for six months after the contract expiration date.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenues - Less Than \$100,000

Decrease Local Govt. Revenues - Less Than \$27,500

Estimate assumes:

- Some wireless providers will fail to notify consumers of the contract expiration and as a result have to provide free service for six months.
- Any decrease in revenues to the provider would impact state and local taxes collected as a result of those revenues; however, the estimate assumes that free service will not be provided a significant number of times.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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